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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Monday, 17 March 1997

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fifty-first session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	51st meeting	Conference Room 3

1. Programme budget for the biennium 1996-1997 [116]

   Human resources management [120]

   Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991) [137]

   Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 [139]

   Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of United Nations peace-keeping operations [140]:

   Report of the Secretary-General on gratis personnel provided by Governments and other entities

   (A/51/688 and Corr.1 and A/51/813)

   Conclusion of general discussion

Note: The PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA and the SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS of bodies other than those of the General Assembly at its fifty-first session appear in PART II (English/French) of the present issue of the *Journal* (No. 1997/52 (PART II)).

2. Address by the Secretary-General*

3. Programme budget for the biennium 1996-1997 [116]

Action on draft decision A/C.5/51/L.44

4. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia [135]

Action on draft resolution A/C.5/51/L.45

5. Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [119]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.5/51/L.43

3 p.m.	52nd meeting	Conference Room 3

1. Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of the Internal Oversight Services [141] (A/50/945, A/50/1004, A/50/1005, A/51/432, A/51/530 and Corr.1, A/51/801, A/51/802, A/51/804 and A/51/810)

Introduction and general discussion

2. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112] A/49/98 and Corr.1 and Add.1-2, A/49/418, A/49/471 and Corr.1, A/49/633, A/50/16, A/51/124-E/1996/44, A/51/674 and A/51/686 and Add.1-2))

Continuation of general discussion

Informal consultations

Afternoon**- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

Informal consultations on agenda item 116 (Programme budget for the biennium 1996-1997: Travel and related expenses (A/C.5/47/61 and Corr.1, A/C.5/48/14, A/C.5/48/83, A/C.5/50/50, A/C.5/51/18, A/C.5/51/35, A/47/454, A/47/7/Add.5, A/49/952, A/50/7, A/50/692 and Add.1-2))

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* The Secretary-General will address the Fifth Committee at 11.30 a.m.

** Following the adjournment of the 52nd meeting of the Fifth Committee.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Tuesday, 18 March 1997

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fifty-first session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6
3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Friday, 14 March 1997

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fifty-first session

Committees

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE) 23rd meeting

Adoption of the agenda

The provisional agenda was adopted without objection.

Report of the Chairman submitted on the basis of consultations on the draft resolution contained in document A/51/23 (Part VI) and the amendments thereto contained in document A/C.4/51/L.11 (A/C.4/51/8)

The Chairman made a statement.

A statement on a point of order was made by the representative of Oman.

The Committee adopted, without a vote, the amendments in document A/C.4/51/8 and the draft resolution, as amended, contained in chapter X of document A/51/23 (Part VI).

Statements were made by the representatives of Papua New Guinea, in his capacity as Chairman of the Special Committee of 24, the United States, the United Kingdom, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Netherlands (on behalf of the European Union), Chile, Cuba, New Zealand, China, Trinidad and Tobago and the Syrian Arab Republic.

Closure of the session

The Chairman made a statement.

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